

# The Hong Kong Daily Press.

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## SHIPPING.

**ARRIVALS.**  
August 5, ADOLPH, German bark, 837, E. Westergaard, Hamburg 19th April, General—STERNBERG & Co.  
August 5, LUCIA, British bark, 640, Wood, Fremantle (W. Australia) 11th July, Sandilands—ORR & Co.  
August 6, VELUX, German steamer, 636, W. Wulf, Saigon 1st August, Rice and Flour, Ed. Schmalz & Co.  
August 6, CHRYSAEUS KIAN, British str., 956, F. Webb, Penang 26th July, and Singapore 28th July, General—DUN HUI CHAN.  
August 6, STENTOR, British steamer, 1,307, Sam. Milligan, Liverpool 22nd June, and Singapore 31st July, General—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.  
August 6, CHRY SHANG, British steamer, 1,135, Balbourn, Whampoa 6th Aug., General—JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.  
August 6, ALWINE, German str., 400, Samuelson, Pakhoi 3rd August, and Hoihow 5th, General—WILDER & Co.

**DEPARTURES.**  
August 6, FERRIS, Danish str., for Haiphong.  
August 6, ANTON, German str., for Hoihow.  
August 6, HENRI, German bark, for Calcutta.  
August 6, CHINA, German str., for Swatow.  
August 6, DAPHNE, German str., for Hamburg.  
August 6, POMONA, British str., for Swatow.  
August 6, GUY MANNING, British str., for Shanghai.  
August 6, TAIKHOV, British str., for Bangkok.  
August 6, PERSIA, British steamer, for Shanghai.

**PASSENGERS.**  
**ARRIVED.**  
Per Cheong Hock Kien, str., from Penang, 22nd Chinese.  
Per Steamer, str., from Liverpool, 22nd Chinese.  
Per Althea, str., from Pakhoi, 22nd Chinese.  
**DEPARTED.**  
The British steamer, from London 22nd August, and Singapore 31st July, reports had strong S.W. winds and squally weather throughout from Singapore.

The British steamer Cheong Hock Kien, from Penang 26th July, and Singapore 28th July, reports experienced first part strong W.S.W. winds and squally weather to lat. 13 N. thence to port light variable winds and fine weather.

## INTIMATIONS.

**THE UNDERSIGNED, Agents for Messrs. E. E. ADAMS & CO., Ltd., San Francisco, California, U.S.A., are now prepared to submit for inspection Samples of hard and soft TIMBERS suitable for Warehousing, Building and General purposes.**  
**GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO., Agents.**  
Hongkong, 22nd November, 1887. [13]

## NEW PUBLISHING.

## NEW & ORIGINAL SERIAL STORY.

## H. RIDER HAGGARD.

Author of "King Solomon's Mines," "Allan Quatermain," "She," "Jesse," &c.

The Proprietors of this Journal are pleased to announce that they have, at a very considerable outlay, made arrangements with H. RIDER HAGGARD—the Author of the most popular and dramatic Stories of our day—by which their Readers will enjoy the serial publication of a new and unpublished manuscript Story from his pen.

The Title of RIDER HAGGARD'S New Story is

## COLONEL QUARTON, V.C.

And the Opening Chapters appeared in THE "HONGKONG DAILY PRESS" of SATURDAY, 21st JULY.

In this dramatic work, the author of "She" makes a new departure. Instead of placing his characters in lands remote from civilization and subjecting them to influences of the most remarkable and unexpected nature, he has here written an English treasure story of the present day. The hero is a soldier in the British army, a member of the Victoria Cross, who returns home from the recent operations in the Sudan, to exchange the perils and privations of warfare in the desert for a series of sensational incidents among pleasant English landscapes, and the ultimate reward of an ancestral home brightened by the beauty of a comely bride. The plot is well contrived, there is strong individualization in the characters; the scenes are depicted with clearness and a warm glow of local colour, while the main incident is worked out with power. Not even in "King Solomon's Mines" has so much interest been effected into the mysterious chamber, the thrill greater than when Colonel Quarton uncovers the treasure, hidden away from Cromwell's soldiers, the recovery of which saves an ancient house from ruin.

Hongkong, 26th June, 1888. [1204]

## LOS FILIPINOS.

IMPORTERS OF TOBACCO AND MANILA CIGARETS, 25, PORTINER STREET.

A Large and varied Stock of Best Descriptions of MANILA & OTHER CIGARETS, TOBACCO, CIGARETTES.

Wholesale and Retail at Moderate Prices.

INSPECTION RESPECTFULLY INVITED.

SILVESTRE ARLEGUI & Co., Proprietors.

Hongkong, 30th May, 1888. [1030]

## THE TOURIST'S GUIDE.

Reduced Price, 3s.

Containing the names of all the Articles of Trade, Offices of Natural History, Furniture, &c., &c., with the Prices and Manufacturers' Prounciation.

The Daily Press Office.

## BOARD AND RESIDENCE.

MRS. STAINFIELD, 35, Queen's Road.

Has a Private Board and Residence for Single Men or Married Couples, at reasonable rates.

Hongkong, 14th October, 1887. [138]

## NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHIPMASTERS AND ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, none of the Company's Foremen should be at hand, orders for repairs if sent to the Head Office, No. 14, Praya Central, will receive prompt attention.

In the event of complaints being found necessary, communication with the Undersecretary, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction.

D. GILLIES, Secretary.

Hongkong, 8th August, 1888. [131]

## INTIMATIONS.

ATTENTION is directed to the following forms of Policies granted by the STANDARD LIFE OFFICE.

These Policies by a fixed number of premiums, each premium securing a proportionate part of the sum assured in the event of the Policy being discontinued. For example, a person who is assured for 20,000 with premium ceasing in 10 years, and who desired to discontinue his payments at the end of 5 years, would receive a Policy for 2500, on which no further or ordinary premiums would be required to be paid.

These Policies are payable to the Life assured on his attaining the age of 45, 50, 55, 60 or 65 or to his representatives, should he predecease the age agreed upon.

These two forms of Policies are especially suitable for residents in the East who are in a position to pay a moderate premium while in receipt of a good income, and who do not wish to be burdened with the payment of premiums when they retire to England, or from business.

Full particulars as to rates, &c., may be obtained on application to the Agents, Hongkong.

## SECURED POLICIES.

ENDOWMENT POLICIES.

STANDARD LIFE OFFICE.

INVESTED FUNDS EXCEED £2,500,000.

ANNUAL INCOME EXCEEDS £200,000.

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## KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED.

Greenville Memoirs, 5 Vols., new and cheaper Ed. Academy and Grosvenor Gallery Notes.

Boating—New Volume of The "Boatman's Library."

A large assortment of Photographs, from the most celebrated Pictures, can be very effectively mounted and framed.

James's Manuscripts.

I. M. Customs Returns of Trade, 1887.

Special Reports on Kowloon, Laggan, Peking, Canton, Shanghai, Hongkong.

Dr. Bittel's Handbook of Chinese Buddhism, being a Sanskrit-Chinese Dictionary with Vocabularies of the Buddhist Terms, Second Edition, revised and enlarged, 2 vols.

The Ball's Waltz, by Chas. Lassore.

A quantity of New Songs and Vocal Duets. Lloyd's Universal Register of Shipping, 1888.

Lloyd's Practical Engineer's Handbook.

London's New and General Catalogue.

A. B. C. Telegraph Code.

Dr. Wm. Smith's Principia Latina.

Cesar's Latin Text.

Gliss's Word for Word Key to Caesar.

Peking Gazette, 1887.

Modern Hoyle—How to play all Card Games. Modern Etiquette in Public and Private.

Sailor's Pocket Book—New revised Ed.

London's Drawing and Rough Sketching.

Dr. Cassell's Accidental Injuries, their causes and treatment.

KELLY & WALSH, LD., HONGKONG.

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## W. BREWER HAS JUST RECEIVED.

COPIES OF—

The Mystery of a Hansom Cab.

Mr. Barnes of New York.

Mr. Potter of Texas.

Hutton's Engineer's Handbook.

Hutton's Workman's Handbook.

Young's Fire, Fire Engines, and Fire Brigades.

Academy Notes. Grosvenor Notes.

New Academy Notes.

Descent's Book of Dates of the World's History.

Routledge's Natural History.

History of Photography.

East India in Water Colours.

Studies in Trees, &c.

Also the following Fancy Goods—

Photo Albums, Photo Screens.

Claret and Champagne Cases.

Photo Frames and the Wonderful Little Photographic Apparatus.

WALTER W. BREWER.

UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have just received consignments of FANCY GOODS from Europe, and are offering them at very moderate prices.

PIANOS from BROADWOOD & SON, COLLARD & BARNARD, BECHSTEIN, CHAPPEL & Co., and HAUPT.

NEW MUSIC is received regularly.

They have always on hand a full STOCK OF STORIES from CHOCOLATE & BLACKWELL and other best Suppliers—these are received monthly and are always guaranteed fresh.

NEW SEASON'S ISIGNY BUTTER, just arrived.

Special Agents for INTERNATIONAL ANTI-FOULING COMPOSITION.

WINES & SPIRITS—

CHAMPAGNE, AVALLA & Co.

REDSTEADT'S COGNAC and other Brands.

GIARETS in variety, Breakfast to After-dinner.

PORTS of various Brands.

BRANDY—EXTRA, HENNESSY'S COGNAC.

WHISKY—CARLSON 11 years old, NAPIER JOHNSTON'S well known and just celebrated Brand in square bottles, TRACER'S HIGHLAND COUNTRY'S LIQUOR, STONEMAN'S BRAND OF AMERICAN.

GIN—OLD TON & GENEVA, RUM, LIQUEURS & BITTERS.

ALB & ST. PAULI BULL DOG BRAND.

AMERICAN & GERMAN BEERS.

WATERBURY DRAUGHT STOUT & BASS DRAUGHT ALE.

Hongkong, 21st July, 1888. [128]

## HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation will be held at the City Hall, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the Twenty-fifth day of August, at Twelve o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors together with a Statement of Accounts to 30th June, 1888.

By Order of the Court of Directors, T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 27th July, 1888. [1408]

## HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the REGISTERS OF SHARES of the CORPORATION will be CLOSED from the 11th (SATURDAY) to the 25th day of August next (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Court of Directors, T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 27th July, 1888. [1410]

## J. GILLESPIE & CO.

STEEL PENS.

GOLD MEDAL.

Sold by all Stationers and Dealers. [1318]

## INTIMATIONS.

THE NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

ESTABLISHED 1845.

TOTAL ASSETS ON 1 JANUARY, 1888, £21,976,616.

AMOUNT ASSURED, £78,835,048.

SURPLUS BY NEW YORK STATE, £2,487,512.

STANDARD.

The Company is a purely Mutual one, no liability is incurred by the Policy Holders, and profits are divided among them exclusively.

Of the three largest life insurance companies in the world, the ratio of Death Losses to (1) Premiums, (2) to Interest, and (3) to Insurance in 1887, was lowest in the New York Life. Whilst Interest receipts since 1845, have exceeded losses by death by over £300,000, showing careful selection of lives and careful investment of money.

BIRLEY, LAURENCE & Co., Agents, Hongkong.

Hongkong, 3rd July, 1888. [1249]

## BANKS.

THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, £2,000,000.

PAID UP, £500,000.

Registered Office, 40, THE ADAM STREET, LONDON.

BRANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN AND THE COLONIES.

THE BANK receives money on Deposit, Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange, Issues Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection, Transacts Banking and Agency Business generally on terms to be had on application.

Interest allowed on Deposits—

Fixed for 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum.

Fixed for 6 months, 4 per Cent. per Annum.

Fixed for 3 months, 3 per Cent. per Annum.

On Current Deposit Accounts 2 per Cent. per Annum on the daily balance.

APPROVED CLAIMS ON THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, Limited, London.

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## AUCTION.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, THIS DAY,

the 7th August, 1888, at 12 o'clock Noon, at No. 24, Bank Buildings,

UNION TRADING CO. LTD.

THE STOCK-IN-TRADE FURNITURE, &c., of the VICTORIA HALL DRESSING SALOON, TRANS OF SALE—At Auction.

F. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, 3rd August, 1888. [1416]

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, THIS DAY,

the 7th August, 1888, at 2 p.m., at his Side Rooms, Queen's Road,

SUN & CO. LTD.

FURNITURE, &c., comprising—

CINETTES, CUPBOARD, DRAWING ROOM SUITE, BEDROOM SUITE, &c.

CHIMNEY GLASSES, AND PICTURE FRAMES.

DINING TABLE, SIDEBOARD with Glass, CHAIRS, WHATNOTS, &c.

DINING DESK, BREAKFAST SETS, GLASS AND PLATED WARE, Double Wardrobe, WARDROBE with Glass, &c.

DRYING, TOILET TABLE & WASH STAND, ONE PIANO, &c.

TERMS OF SALE—As "without reserve."

F. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, 6th August, 1888. [1444]

## THE CHINA SUGAR BEETING COMPANY, LIMITED.

IN accordance with the Provision of No. 121 of the Articles of Association, the General Agents have this Day declared an INTERIM DIVIDEND of 6 per cent. for the Half-year ending 30th June, 1888, on the paid up Capital of the Company.

DIVIDEND WARRANTS, payable at the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, will be issued to Shareholders on the Register on the 24th instant.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 10th to the 24th instant, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 4th August, 1888. [1465]

## HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED











